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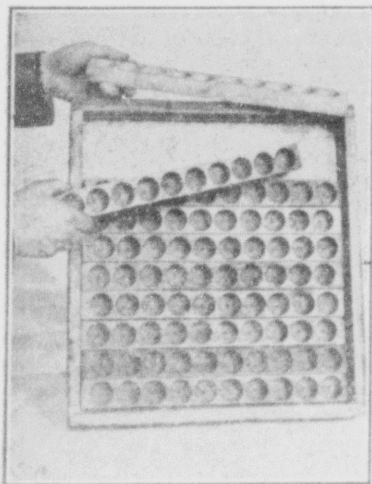
TO TEST SEED CORN

MEANS BIG INCREASE IN YIELD
AND AVOIDS WASTE

DON'T IMPORT SEED CORN

Supt. Bert Cooper Gives Directions
for Making Testing Box and Ex-
plains Best Testing Method

Now is the time to test your seed corn. It is always worth while to test seed corn, but it is especially so this winter, owing to the early freeze and the sappy condition of the corn. From tests already made, it is shown that about one ear in five, or twenty percent of the corn will not grow. That means that one-fifth of the stand, at least will be lost, for an ear that will



SEED TESTING BOX

not grow under testing conditions will not grow in the field. There are about 3,500 hills in an acre. If untested corn was planted then, there would be at least 700 remaining hills. Of course, testing will not give a perfect stand, as other things than bad germination make for poor stands. However, it is not too much to expect that ten hills per acre would be gained by testing. There are 120,000 acres of corn planted each year. Ten hills per acre of two ears each would make 2,400,000 more ears of corn. Counting 90 ears to the bushel and corn at \$1.25 per bushel, it would mean a saving of about \$30,000. If one-half the 700 hills per acre could be saved, and that is not too much to expect, it would mean a saving of 913,500 bushels of corn, worth nearly a million and a quarter dollars. Our allies need the food and we need the money. Then why not test every ear of corn we plant? It will pay every farmer to do it, for it is both scientific and practical.

The children in fifty-five schools in the county are pledged to test all corn planted by their fathers and neighbors this spring and many have already begun the work, doing it after school hours. Superintendent Bert Cooper has made a sample testing box that is at once convenient, simple and easily made. The accompanying photograph shows the box and a description is here with given and directions for making, also how to test seed corn.

Directions for Making Box.

From 4 inch board make a box 20 inches square. Use boards or sheet iron for the bottom. Make fillers or seed holders from 1 by 4 inch board as follows: Cut five lengths 19 inches long; divide each with a pencil mark through the center lengthwise; this will give you a strip on each side of the line 2 inches wide. Take an auger or brace and bit and bore holes 1 1/4 inches in diameter just close enough together to have ten holes on each side of the line. Do not bore holes clear through the board but only far enough to allow the small point of the bit to come through thus leaving a small hole in the center of the large auger hole so that water may escape from the corn in the larger cavity, preventing rotting, and to allow moisture to come up from the bottom to aid the seed in germinating. After the holes are bored use a rip saw to divide the boards, giving 10 strips with 10 holes in each strip, as shown in the accompanying cut.

Place a layer of wet sawdust in the bottom of the box to afford moisture for germination, then put in the strips. Beginning at one corner number each hole, starting with 1 and numbering consecutively to 100. Lay the corn to be tested on a plank or table, driving a nail between each ten ears. Mark on the table or plank at the end of each ear a number beginning with 1 and numbering consecutively to 100. You should have 100 ears of corn to

correspond to the 100 numbered holes in the testing box.

Take six kernels from each ear as follows: From each end and the middle on opposite sides. Place the kernels from ear number 1 in hole number 1 and so on. Grains from the first ten ears should occupy the ten holes in the first holder or strip, and in like manner until the entire 100 holes are occupied.

After the kernels have been placed in the holes from all the 100 ears, cover the corn and strips in the box and keep wet for from five to seven days. No other covering is needed. When ready to read the test take out strip number 1, shaking the sawdust out, and place the kernels from each hole in separate piles on a paper. When you determine that one bunch of kernels did not sprout or weak germination is shown, see which numbered ear corresponds and throw out this ear from the ears on the plank or table. The ears remaining after the test is made will be the good ears from which sure seed may be had.

A NATIONAL WEEK OF SONG

Next Week Will Be Observed Through-
out the Land in Homes, Com-
munities and Clubs

For a number of years there has been a movement in the country to arouse the nation to a spirit of song and those in charge suggest the week in which occurs Washington's birthday, and people gathered at homes, clubs or entertainment are asked to sing "America" at eight o'clock on February 22.

A school or town that voices in music the love of country, the love of home, loyalty and the celebration of all things true, lovely and pure is a strong factor in building a nation the power of which depends upon the unity of its people.

General Pershing has asked the American people to think "Songs," and this week we are called upon to think "Songs."

Let us sing those songs that express our love, our devotion, our adoration—those songs that have stood the test of time and are really worth while. "Make a joyful noise" in token of our many blessings and future hopes.

If our lips are dumb, let us think the spirit of song.

M.H.S.VS BENTON THURSDAY

Vandersloot's Aggregation From Down
the River Look for Hard Fight
In the Second Game

M. H. S. basketball team is limbering up in anticipation of the game Thursday night with the Benton High from St. Joseph, losers in the first game of the series between Benton and Central. The local team lost their last game to Benton 44-39 and hope to reverse the tables in Thursday night's game on the Normal court.

Concerning the Benton team, this morning's Gazette says:

"Benton high school, after suffering defeat at the hands of Central's basketball team here last Friday, will go to Maryville next Thursday, where Coach Vandersloot's aggregation will meet the high school team there in the return game. In the game on the floor here Benton won, 44 to 39. The local team is expecting a hard fight with the Maryville five, but expects to come back winner."

"Hard work will be on the program for the south side boys this week and Coach Vandersloot is strengthening the weak spots, which showed up for the first time Friday, when battling against a superior organization. It is believed, by hard and consistent work, that Central will meet a new Benton quintet on the latter's court March 15.

Gets War Orphan's Name.

The three ward schools of Maryville are raising money with which to support war orphans. The Garfield school received yesterday the name of Roger Decker, Bobigny (Seine), France, the orphan whom they will support. The Jefferson school will support Angele Dardier, Toulouse, France, and the Franklin school are awaiting the name of an orphan to support.

Mrs. M. J. Sherlock and Mrs. P. J. Tobin went to St. Joseph today to attend a dinner party at the home of Mrs. Zella Mullen. They will also visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sherlock while in St. Joseph.

Merle Johnson of Quitman was in Maryville on business today.

32 ARE ACCEPTED

BOARD BEGINS EXAMINATIONS
UNDER NEW RULES

FEWER REJECTIONS NOW

Men Formerly Rejected for Minor
Defects Are Now Accepted—Forty-
Seven Examined Yesterday

With physical examinations resumed under the new regulations from the provost marshal general's office, the percentage of men accepted shows a material gain over acceptances under the old rules. Out of forty-seven men examined by draft board physicians yesterday, thirty-two were accepted for service. But twelve of the number were rejected and the others were accepted for limited service.

Those examined yesterday were as follows:

Lester Babb, Maryville; accepted.

Fred McKendree Petty Lewis, Maryville; rejected.

Joe Hesse, Cedar City; accepted.

Lee K. Ingram, Fayetteville, Ark.; accepted for limited service.

Leslie Curtis Ross, Quitman; accepted.

Earl T. Jordan, Skidmore; accepted.

Carl W. Bose, Oregon; accepted.

Frederick Columbus Gilbert, Maryville; rejected.

William Simon Colwell, Quitman; accepted.

Vasquez Logan Dark, Barnard; accepted.

William John Prather, Pickering; accepted.

Loan Sylvester Thompson, Hopkins; rejected.

George Peter Sillers, Maryville; rejected.

Glenn Lloyd Byergo, Barnard; accepted.

Philip B. Seavers, Guilford; accepted.

Roland E. Richards, Guilford; accepted.

Frank William Wells, Maryville; accepted.

Carroll Dockery Moody, Maryville; accepted.

Purl Harvey Shell, Maryville; accepted.

Henry Clay Edmiston, Hopkins; accepted.

John Eckhouse, Conception Junction; rejected.

Ralph Miller, Hopkins; accepted.

Rolla Fay Gray, Hopkins; accepted.

Lawrence E. Rickman, Maryville; rejected.

Merrill Bradley, Hopkins; rejected.

Eddie E. Ellsworth, Quitman; rejected.

Elias Henry Echterling, Parnell; accepted.

Roy Francis Hainey, Barnard; accepted.

Samuel Rex Lincoln, Parnell; accepted.

Fred Vince Horn, Elmo; rejected.

Roy Hartman Kent, Barnard; accepted.

Fred Raymond Dunn, Barnard; accepted.

Frank Arles Schumacher, Maryville; accepted for limited service.

Charles Joseph Villing, Conception; rejected.

John Princes Beavens, Burlington Junction; rejected.

Melvin Ernest Dickey, Hopkins; accepted for limited service.

William Bert Ingram, accepted.

Artie Ray Cotter, Bolckow; accepted for limited service.

Egypt June Blagg, Maryville; accepted.

Lambert Young Stephens, Moberly; accepted.

George Baker Tate, Maryville; accepted.

Leo Charles Borgman, Clyde; rejected.

Olen Shelton, Maryville; accepted.

Otis Paulconer, Pickering; accepted.

Eugene King, Maryville; accepted.

Charles Ernest Thacker, Burlington Junction; accepted.

Roy Fennell, Burlington Junction; accepted.

Attended Stewart Funeral.

The out of town persons attending the funeral services of William H. Stewart, which were held yesterday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Dempsey, Mrs. S. A. Roach and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humbert of Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart and family of Valley Falls, Kan.

Mrs. Ella B. Trullinger left last night for Springfield, Ill., called there by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Anna B. Jones.

PUPILS RECITAL TONIGHT

Interesting Program Will Be Given
by Pupils of the Conserva-
tory of Music

The following numbers will be given at the regular pupils' recital in the Conservatory recital hall at 7:30 tonight:

Piano—To a Brown Thrush... (Virgil)

Winifred Baker

Mary Jane Bellows

Piano—Song at Dusk... (Crammond)

Piano—May Dance... (Virgil)

Ether Roseberry

Piano—Dorothy... (Smith)

Mayne Grems

Piano—The Hunter's Song... (Lynes)

Dorothy Allen

Violin—Cradle Song... (Hauser)

Ralph Eversole

Piano—Polonaise... (Virgil)

Ned Colbert

Vocal—Daisies... (Hawley)

Maurine Kimberlin

Piano Duet... (Moszkowski)

Josephine Wilderman

Halcyon Hooker

Vocal—Where'er You Walk... (Handel)

Wade Henderson

Piano—Nocturne No. 2... (Liszt)

Mary Margaret Richey

Piano—Sonata Op. 27.

(Last Movement) (Beethoven)

Virgil Rathbun

CARRIERS IN DRIVE

SOLICIT RURAL ROUTE PATRONS
IN THRIFT STAMP SALE

\$1,149 IN THREE DAYS

Route No. 2 In the Lead With Sales of
\$291.50 — Every Carrier Has
Purchased Stamps

The rural carriers of the postoffice here have sold \$1,149.50 of war savings certificate stamps and thrift stamps on their routes during the past three days. Many promises were also secured that others would buy these stamps within the next few days.

A campaign is being conducted by the carriers for the sale of these stamps and the patrons of the routes are being requested to buy their stamps from their respective carriers so each route will get proper credit. During the past three days Rural Route No. 2 has led in the sales with \$291.50 stamps sold. Route No. 7 had \$249.50; Route No. 6 \$189.75; Route No. 1, \$189.00; Route No. 3, \$161.75; Route No. 5, \$55.00; and Route No. 4, \$40.00.

The carriers are making efforts to dispose of several \$1,000 savings certificates to patrons of their routes. In addition to giving their time to pushing the sale of these stamps, each carrier has invested in the stamps.

General Pershing, commander in chief of our over-seas forces—a native Missourian—expects every man to do his duty. His soldiers must be clothed, fed and supplied with munitions. We must support the great work of providing ample sale for these war savings stamps.

War savings certificate stamps can be registered at the postoffice in the name of two persons in the alternative (for example, John Jones or Mary Jones); also in the name of an association, society, lodge, firm or corporation, etc.; or in the name of an infant, by parent, guardian, or other person; but the application of a minor child for registration must be prepared and signed by the child if he is able to do so.

Louie V. Boeppler of Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., was in Maryville over Sunday visiting his son, Darroll, at the home of Mrs. Jack Pennington. Mr. Boeppler will leave soon for France.

Funeral services for Joseph C. Bollin, who died Sunday morning in St. Joseph, were held at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the residence near Ravenwood, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Wetzel. Burial was in the Oak Lawn cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers of Wilcox were in Maryville on business today.

Ed Dawson of Skidmore, J. B. Horton of Ravenwood were among the out of town people in Maryville today.

NOTICE

Customers on outside Routes
please call in and settle your pa-
per account to February 1st.

ED GODSEY

GOT YOUR AUTO TAG?

OWNERS WHO NEGLECT LAW ARE
LIABLE TO ARREST

FEB. 15 THE DEAD LINE

But 87 City Licenses Have Been Issued
and Maryville Has Several Hun-
dred Cars — New Provisions

For several years, just about this time of year, the matter of state licenses for automobiles and other motor vehicles has been a fruitful source of trouble for the owners of machines who have not paid their state licenses and the officers of the law.

The automobilist, arrested and fined for not having his state license tag, has complained of undue zeal on the part of the officers, and the officers have charged that the automobilists were suffering simply the penalty of their own neglect in not getting their license tags promptly.

County, city and township officers have been instructed to gather in all motor vehicle drivers who are found operating cars without 1918 license tags and arrests will be made after February 15. This probably will cause a fresh outbreak of the annual controversy. The law governing the matter, revised so as to include the work of the 1917 session of the state legislature, has been put into pamphlet form by John L. Sullivan, secretary of state. It defines very clearly the meaning of the law and the duties of the officers in enforcing it. Motorists, by familiarizing themselves with and conforming to this law, may save themselves much trouble and expense. The law became operative on January 31, 1918. Its essential features are:

Better Know the Law.

That the license tag shall be plainly displayed on the front and rear of all motor vehicles.

No mufflers or cut-outs shall be used in the operation of the same.

All lamps shall either be etched or ground, or such light used that the light filament shall appear blurred and indistinctly defined and the light emitted shall be diffused and free from scintillation and brilliant or metallic luster.

Another new section in the state law is that every bicycle shall carry one light, white, on front, and one light, red, on the rear.

The new state law also gives a very distinct and clear description of the rights of motorists in driving, and should its text be closely followed many accidents will be avoided such as have happened in the past few years.

The new law does away very nicely with the trouble that purchasers of new cars frequently have; that is to say, if John Jones buys a new car from some automobile sales room the salesman is required to furnish him with license tags upon his deposit of \$5.00 for a period of fifteen days, until he can receive his tag from Jefferson City. The \$5.00 to be returned upon his handing the license tags to the dealer. This clause in the new law will no doubt do away with much inconvenience to the motorist and to the state officers.

One feature that is very clearly defined in the new law is this:

"No motor vehicle shall display on its front or rear any other plate, tag or placard bearing any other number except the plate so furnished by the secretary of state, nor shall there be displayed on any motor vehicle a placard, sign or tag bearing the words, 'License lost,' or 'License applied for.'"

That Maryville car owners are neglecting to secure license tags is indicated by the fact that but 87 license tags have been taken out to date, while it is known that Maryville owned automobiles number several hundred. The city license number must be displayed on the side of the car.

BIG SHIP STRIKE THREATENS

Fifteen Hundred Workers in Five Ship
Yards Walk Out; Others May Fol-
low—May Be Enemy Propaganda

New York, Feb. 12.—Five Staten Island shipyards engaged in government work closed today as a result of a walkout of 1,500 ship workers. Ten thousand other shipwrights employed in various other shipyards in Greater New York are threatening a walkout sympathy strike. The government authorities are trying to ascertain today whether the strike agitation is the work of enemy propaganda.

KING ADDS HIS APPROVAL

In Speech Opening British Parliament
He Declares Britains Have Already
Endorsed the Allies' War Aims

London, Feb. 12.—Approval for the war aims of the Allies was given by King George today in his speech reopening the British Parliament. King George declared the people of the British Empire had already endorsed the peace terms of the Entente which present just basis for settlement. In his review of these terms the king declared they would establish the rights of nationalities and insure international justice. The German government, however, has refused to consider the rights and liberties of others, the king continued, and has refused to give any pledge for the restitution of wrongs committed by the German armies.

SEND FOOD SPEAKERS HERE

Returned Commissioners Will Tell
Needs of Soldiers and Civilians
at Home and Abroad

Maryville will have an opportunity to get some first-hand information of the food needs of our people at home and abroad and of our associates in the war when Edward W. Trefitz and Dr. Julius Lincoln will speak here on Friday, March 8. The announcement comes from the food administration following the arrangement of a speaking tour of the state in which two teams of from two to five informed speakers will take part.

One member of each team will be a returned member of the food commission sent abroad by the United States food administration to observe food conditions and needs of both soldiers and civilians. The government regards their message of such vital importance that the utmost steps are being taken to give their recital the widest circulation.

PUT BAN ON KILLING HENS

Purpose of Food Administration's Or-
der Is to Assure Supply Next Win-
ter — May Fix Egg Prices

The food administration has issued an order, effective at once, prohibiting the slaughter or sale of freshly killed hens or pullets from now to May 1, eleven weeks. It applies to all licensed dealers.

The purpose of the order is to increase the supply of eggs during the storing season so that stocks may be accumulated for next winter's use. A good hen will lay three dozen eggs or more in February, March and April.

Produce men believe the new order will result in an important addition to the supply of eggs.

Dealers expect that the food administration will fix a price for eggs during the storage season, probably 35 to 40 cents a dozen. Last year March and April prices ranged from 25 to 34 cents a dozen and were the highest ever paid in the storage season up to that time.

Another new order of the food administration requires all cheese now in cold storage to be sold before the period of new production begins, next May.

Visited at the Dean Home.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKnight and three daughters of Burlington Junction who have been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean, left this morning for their home. Mr. and Mrs. McKnight and family expect to leave soon for Boulder, Colo., where they will make their home.

A WILLARD-DEMPSEY MATCH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Chicago, Feb. 12.—Jess Willard, champion heavy weight pugilist and Jack Dempsey have been matched for a purse of \$10,000, the event to occur at Cheyenne, Wyo., on July 4, it was announced today by Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager.

Suffrage Leaders Sure.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Suffrage leaders today predicted certain victory for the national amendment following an endorsement by the Democratic executive committee.

GERMANY REJOICES

CITIES CELEBRATE END OF HOSTILITIES WITH RUSSIA

ON A PEACE BASIS SOON

Details for Direct Interchange to be
Arranged by Economic Commis-
sion Now in Petrograd

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Geneva, Feb. 12.—Celebration over the peace agreement effected between Ukraine and the Central Powers still continues in Berlin and Vienna, according to information from the frontier today.

A dispatch from Amsterdam says: "There is great enthusiasm in Germany over the reported end of the state of war between the Central Powers and Russia. Cities everywhere are beflagged and there is much rejoicing over Trotsky's unconditional surrender."

"It has been arranged that the central economic commission now in Petrograd shall settle the details of the resumption of relations between Russian and the Central Powers."

A German government wireless dispatch received here confirms dispatches received from Amsterdam that Russia has ordered a cessation of war and the demobilization of Russian armies. A complete demobilization will not be effected at once as some young units will be kept to guard the frontiers.

Amsterdam, Feb. 12.—Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister, alluding to the further discussions that will arise from the situation created between the Central Powers and Russia for the establishment of reciprocal, diplomatic, consular, legal and economic relations, indicated a method of direct intercourse between the governments concerned as well as employment of commissions of the quadruple alliance which already are at Petrograd.

STATE-WIDE ESSAY CONTEST

War Savings Committee Gives Awards
for Best Paper, "How to Help Win
War Through Thrift Stamps"

A state-wide contest for public school children has been launched by the War Savings Committee of Missouri for writing the best essay on "How to Help Uncle Sam Win the War Through Thrift Stamps."

Prizes of baby bonds will be awarded to the school children. There are five classes and a prize of \$100 in thrift stamps will be given to each class. Each county will offer a \$5 savings certificate for the best manuscript in the county, and each school will give a 25-cent thrift stamp for the best essay in each class.

The contest starts next Monday. All essays to teachers must be in by April 1. On June 1 the county prizes will be awarded. The best essays in the counties will be sent to Jefferson City June 15, and the five state awards will be made July 1.

MUST WHIP GERMANY FIRST.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, Feb. 12.—Prospects of peace are ended until Germany is beaten to a point where she will yield to the instincts of humanity, declared Senator Lewis this afternoon in a speech in the senate lauding Abraham Lincoln as the founder of democracy which President Wilson is now extending to the world.

QUIT HEATLESS MONDAYS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, Feb. 12.—With favorable weather given as the cause, fuel administrator, Garfield today prepared an order abolishing the remaining heatless Mondays scheduled to be observed throughout the United States.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

Greater Vitagraph Co., with

MARY ANDERSON

Popular and Charming, in

'Flaming Omen'

A Fascinating story of love and
Mysticism.

Tomorrow, "Little Miss Optimist."

Feature Tonight

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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

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Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County

Glen Adams and Charley Walton of near Quitman went to St. Joseph yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jordan of Skidmore were in Maryville on business today.

MARYVILLE RESIDENT HAS AW- FUL EXPERIENCE

"I was twice confined in hospitals, in the last one nothing but gruel water was injected into me four times a day, as my stomach would not retain any food. I suffered terribly; was reduced to a skeleton. My folks saw an ad of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and it has surely saved my life. I weigh 180 pounds now." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One case will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Company.

THOSE WITH CEREALS EXEMPT

But Purchasers Must Sign Certificate That They Are Consuming Wheat Substitutes

A special provision for those who have on hand a supply of wheat substitutes has been made by F. B. Mumford, federal food administrator for Missouri, in a statement to retail grocers. The rules of the food administration require that until February 15 consumers must buy a pound of other cereal with every three pounds of wheat flour and that after February 15 a pound of other cereal must be bought with every pound of flour. This regulation will not apply, however, to those who have a supply of substitutes on hand, provided these substitutes are consumed regularly in the proper proportion. The statement to the retailers is as follows:

"In case purchasers have on hand a supply of wheat flour substitutes and want to purchase wheat flour without purchasing substitutes at the same time, retailers may sell wheat flour alone in proper proportion to the substitutes they may have on hand, but only if the purchaser agrees to sign this certificate:

"I hereby certify that I have on hand pounds of wheat flour substitutes as follows and that I am consuming and will continue to consume such substitutes regularly at the rate of one pound of such substitutes for every three pounds of wheat flour used until after February 15, and that on and after that date I will consume regularly one pound of such substitutes for every pound of wheat flour. I further certify that I have on hand and under contract of purchase not more than pounds of wheat flour."

No sales of wheat flour alone shall be made except on the written certificate from the purchaser.

Abraham Lincoln

Abraham Lincoln was born in a log cabin in Hardin county, Kentucky, February 12, 1809. He died in Washington, D. C., on April 15, 1865.

Lincoln obtained the greater part of his education from books. He was twenty-four years old when he began to study law.

His first show of interest in politics developed just after he took charge of a small trading store in New Salem, Illinois. He was elected to the Illinois legislature in 1834, but his political life attracted no particular attention until a few years later, when he made a speaking tour of the Atlantic States. His oratory attracted nationwide attention.

In 1860 Lincoln was named Republican presidential candidate. He was elected and was inaugurated March 4, 1861. When the slavery problem threatened to divide the Union, Lin-

coln called for 75,000 volunteers at a special session of congress on July 4, 1861. The Civil War followed.

On the evening of April 14, 1865, five days after General Lee's surrender, Lincoln was shot and mortally wounded in Ford's theatre, Washington, by John Wilkes Booth, an actor.

Lincoln died the following day and was buried in Springfield, Ill., on April 21, 1865.

Lula Marie Nichols, one of the triplet daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nichols, has been quite ill of pneumonia for several days.

Mrs. Nannie Hildebrandt of Binger, Okla., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lyda Harrington of Pickering.

Mrs. E. M. Breckenridge of Tingley, Iowa, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McQuinn.

A Glimpse of Fifth Avenue Styles

DAME FASHION is a variable lady, but of one thing she is sure—whatever secrets she has to tell are whispered first of all to Fifth Avenue.

Throught a special arrangement with the manufacturers of the well-known VERITE Suits, we are able to show every week the very latest Fifth Avenue fashions.



The first model is a girlish semi-sport suit of Coolkeny Crash with a belted coat, plaited in the back, and a four piece skirt fashionably narrow. Another charming proof of the smart youthfulness of a well designed trotteur suit.

The second suit is of Tricotine with vest of Khaki-Kool—two materials to conjure with! The belted coat features saddle-bag pockets, a vest of Khaki-Kool, and a gay lining of figured silk. As befits the mode, the skirt is narrow and finished with a belt and pockets. In this Milady will feel the happy consciousness of being supremely well-dressed for every occasion.

Strictly tailored is the third suit developed most appropriately in navy serge with a hair-line white stripe. Black silk braid and bone buttons give a smart finish to the semi-finished coat, and the two-piece skirt has a belt and applied pockets. Just the suit for the busy woman who needs a smart, serviceable costume.

Ask to see these new VERITE models and secure your copy of the VERITE fashion letter written by Miss Edith M. Burtis, former fashion editor of the Ladies' Home Journal.

Our store is the only one in this vicinity which can offer you this exclusive VERITE style service.

Haines

The Store That Is Anxious to Please You.

By the Haines Bunch without the Boss.

The Harness and Repair Shop

—of—

L. L. CLARY

HAS BEEN MOVED TO NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE, WITH THE BLACK DIAMOND STOCK POWDER COMPANY.

Miss Coletta Linneman of Conception Junction is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Anna Miller of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington of Pickering entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Burch and family Sunday evening at their home.

For Itching Torture

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any druggist can supply you with zemo, which generally overcomes all skin diseases. Acne, eczema, itch, pimples, rashes, blackheads, in most cases give way to zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky and is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Low Prices

We are running our business on the lowest possible cost—even cutting down on our advertising—and giving our customers the benefit in low prices.

We are really selling goods bought before the advance at less than the market value now.

THE OLD RELIABLE.

PNEUMONIA
First call a physician.
Then begin hot applications of—
VICK'S VAPORUB

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

W. T. Jackson of Ravenwood was a guest last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Colvin.

After March 1st

We will do a Cash Business only—including all labor and parts.

WHITNEY & IRBY.

LaCamille

Front Lace Corsets

Are in Our Opinion the Best on the Market

They are cut on perfect lines. They have an exclusive patented feature in the Ventilator back. It prevents pressure on the spine and increases ventilation.

It also has a patented front shield which no other front lacing corset contains. The shield also a Ventilator section in the center.

Ventilo

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Front Laced

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BY MISS LUTA MOODY
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Pickering Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith of Pickering were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given Sunday at their home. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hinton and daughter, Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton and daughter, Blanche, Stanley Davis of Maryville and the host and hostess.

For Truman Landon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night in honor of Truman Landon, who was celebrating his thirteenth birthday anniversary. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Landon and sons, Truman and Kurt, the host and hostess and their little daughter, Jean.

Saturday Bridge.

Mrs. J. L. Felix was hostess to the members of the Saturday Bridge Club. Saturday night at her home on West Seventh street. Misses Rose and Lenora Schumacher and Mrs. Eldon Irvin were guests during the evening.

Westminster Auxiliary Tonight.

The Red Cross auxiliary of the Westminster Guild will meet tonight. Any who wish to work with the Guild are invited to be present at the meeting tonight.

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Coffee Yesterday.

The women of St. Patrick's Catholic church held a coffee yesterday afternoon and last night at the home of Misses Bertha, Mollie and Nello Tobin, on South Mulberry street. Coffee, cakes and candy were served. About \$30 was cleared.

Business Girls Were Entertained at Luncheon.

The Business Girls Club was entertained at a 6 o'clock luncheon last night at the Christian church by their sponsors, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. S. G. Gillam and Mrs. R. S. Branigan. The table was prettily decorated with the American flag. After the luncheon the regular business meeting was held, and officers for the coming year were chosen. Miss Hazel Sheridan was unanimously elected president and Miss Nora Ritze as secretary and treasurer. The girls also decided to meet hereafter only once a month instead of every week. Miss Laura Hawkins will continue as Bible Study leader, and Miss Nelle Hudson was chosen chairman of the entertainment committee. Thirty members were present.

Attend Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines and three daughters, Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret, returned yesterday morning from Tarkio, where they have been visiting Mrs. Raines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Emmert. Sunday the Emmert home was the scene of a family reunion, all the children and grandchildren, thirteen in number, being present. This is the first time in eight years that the Emmert children have all been at home together. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Emmert and two daughters of Kansas City, H. B. Emmert and Sam Emmert of Tarkio, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines and three daughters of Maryville, and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Emmert.

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MARYVILLE, MO.

Dinner Party Near Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ellis of near Bolckow entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball and daughter, Arline, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Addelman, all of Adrain, Mo. Additional guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutchinson of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. George Rasco and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schmidt and son, Har-

ry Leland, William Ellis and Miss Stella Turner of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snodderly, Jack Fuller, Dean Fuller, Elmer Fuller, Anna and Lois Ellis, Albert Ellis and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Early and daughters, Olive and Lela, of Skidmore, went to Burlington Junction today to attend the funeral services for Robert T. Noakes.

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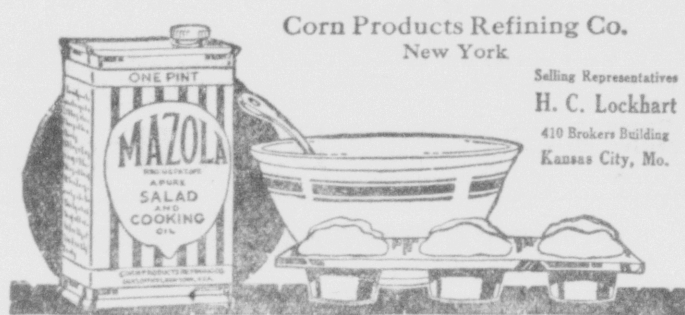
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Prime ribs, lb.	17½c	Veal stew, lb.	17½c
Rump roast, lb.	18c	Lamb legs, lb.	27½c
Fresh beef tongues, lb.	23c	Lamb stew, lb.	17½c
Round steaks, lb.	25c	Select brains, lb.	16c
Sirloin steak, lb.	27c	Neck bones, lb.	9c
Chuck steak, lb.	20c	Pork melts, lb.	10c
Plate boil, lb.	15c	Fresh beef hearts, lb.	17c
Boneless roll rib roast, lb.	25c	Pickled pig's feet, 2 pieces.	10c
Veal roast, lb.	18c	Dill pickles, 5 for.	10c
		Sour pickles, 5 for.	10c

Sterling sweet splits, per package. 12c

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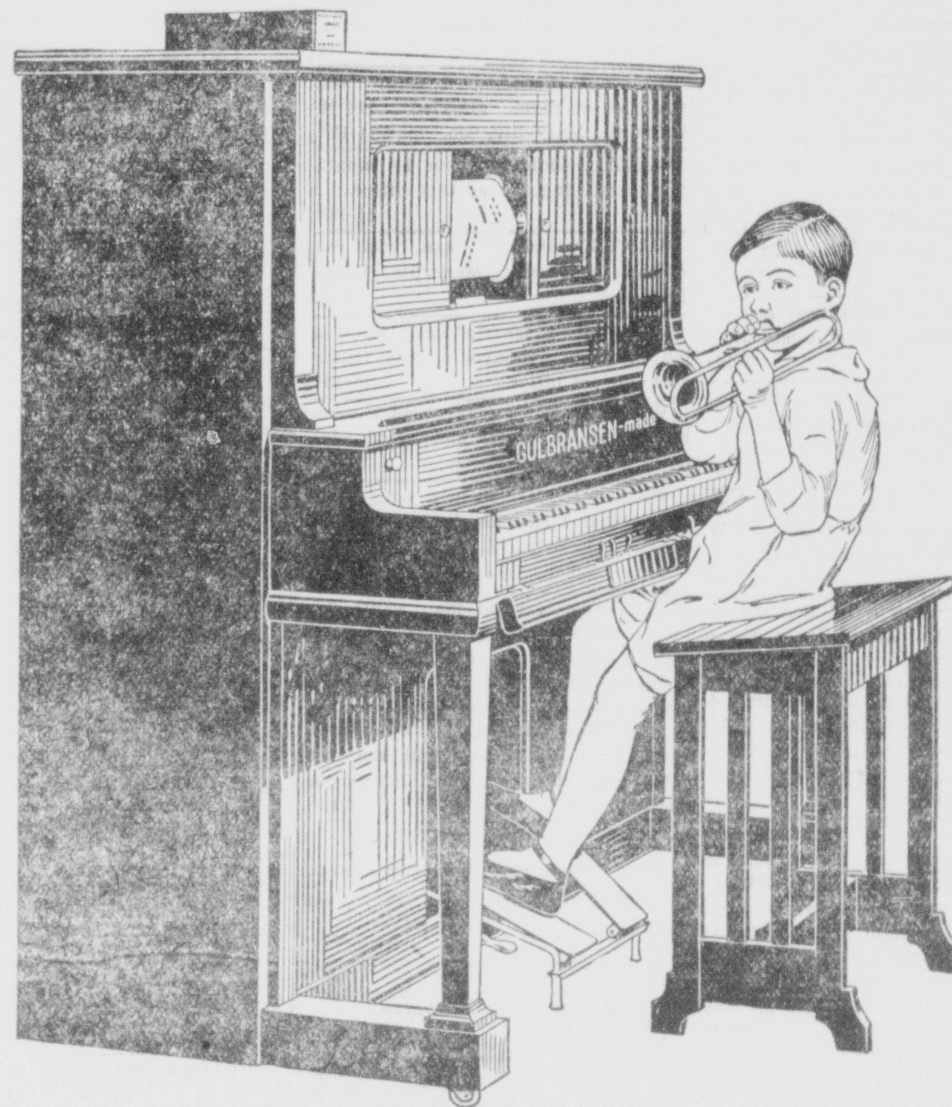
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Other G.-D. Co. Players, nationally priced: "Town House," Model, \$430; "Country Seat" Model, \$475; "White House" Model, \$525; "Duolectra" (electrically driven), \$700; "Duo Concerto" (baby grand player) \$1,000.

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Dependability plus low price has been attained in the automobile industry by exactly the same means the Gulbransen-Dickinson Co. employs in its manufacturing. You know the Dodge, the Ford, the Maxwell, the Overland are good cars, actually more dependable than many of the higher priced cars; and that they, too, would cost more IF THEIR OUTPUT WERE NOT SO LARGE.

So it is with G.-D. Co. Player Pianos. The wood and metal parts, the felts, the rubber cloth, the glue, the varnish—everything—is of just as high quality as you'll find in other makes of player pianos at much higher prices. And the

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The G.-D. Co. factories employ higher-priced workmen, and more of them, than any other Player manufacturer.

But in spite of just as good materials and BETTER workmanship, the G.-D. Co. can produce a Player Piano that retails at \$395, BECAUSE of superior organization, superior knowledge, and much larger output.

Don't be MISLED. Don't let anybody SCARE you into paying more for a Player Piano that isn't as good. Come to our store and SEE this Gulbransen-made Player Piano at \$395. HEAR IT. PLAY it yourself. Play it long enough to get well acquainted with it. Take it home, if you wish, under a free-trial, money-back agreement. That's the way to decide, if you are in doubt.

Remember, WE stand behind it with an Expert Inspection Service—the very same Service we give with thousand dollar Players—and the Gulbransen-Dickinson Co. guarantees it for TEN YEARS.

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion. Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE—Good 4-year-old cow, giving about 4 gallons milk. 422 West 13th street. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay, also 2 stands of bees, good condition. J. J. Pyles, Farmers 32-12. 9-12*

FOR SALE—Jersey bull calf two weeks old. Marion F. Smith, Democrat-Forum agent. Farmers 244. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn absolutely mature. P. W. Nicholas, Route 7. Phone 28-12. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Few S. C. Red cockerels. Inquire Mrs. Alfred Jones, Farmers 46-17. 12-14*

FOR SALE—Extra good coming 4-year-old mule, weight about 2300; and team of mare mules; 1 white-faced male calf. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. 11-13*

FOR SALE—"83" Overland car, limousine or touring top, 4 cylinders, in first class condition. Also Willys-Knight "83" roadster, 6 cylinders, in first class condition. Also Buick roadster, '15 model, in good condition. These cars can be seen at Tilson's garage and will be sold worth the money, if taken at once. 11-13

FOR SALE—Used upright piano, nearly new, absolutely as good as day it left factory, walnut case without blemish on it. Also used player piano, excellent condition, out only three years. We sell used pianos under stronger guarantee, very often, than they were sold under by some other dealer who does not make a point of looking after all pianos sold as we do. You will have to come quickly if you want either of these two bargains. Landon Music Co. 8-14

FOR SALE—At the pavilion, Saturday, February 16, 3 1/2 wagon and carriage, heavy harness. All practically as good as new. J. J. Pyles. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Team of farm work horses, smooth horn. 1516 East Halsey street, Han. 3496. 12-14*

FOR SALE—300 to 400 bu. hand picked corn, \$1.50 per bushel. Harold Thompson, R. 4, Maryville. 12-14*

FOR SALE—My 80-acre farm, 4 miles southwest of Ravenwood. Good 3 room house, barn, hen house and other out buildings. Some fruit trees, grape vines, can all be cultivated. Write the owner, Mrs. Viola M. Douglas, 5714 Main street, Kansas City, Mo. 12-14

MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46. 9-12*

If taken at once, a bargain, improved 7 1/2 acres, house, barn, etc., near Maryville. Terms. See or phone John F. Hansen. 9-12*

See Tilson's for Dimmer lenses. I have a good stock on hand and will sell them worth the money. Cash only. Tilson's garage. 11-13

FOUND—License tag No. 43480. Owner may have by paying for this ad. Inquire at this office. 12-14

LOST—Round Mosaic pin, between Conservatory and C. Q. Smith's. Reward. Eleanor Smith. 12-14

LOST—Mud chain for truck. Finder return to Townsend's grocery store. 11-13*

LOST—Watch bracelet in leather case. Return to Democrat-Forum and receive reward. 11-13

IF YOU NEED seed corn, see M. C. Thompson, 307 N. Market St., east side of square. Hanamo 108, Farmers 41-15. 6tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House, six rooms and bath, North Main street. See M. A. Lewis, First National Bank, or Z. R. Alexander, Elmo. 9-12

FOR RENT—Conveniently furnished rooms, newly papered, modern. See Mrs. Davis, South Methodist Flats. 11-13*

FOR RENT—Houses at 406 and 416 South Mulberry street. See T. L. Wilderman. 11-13

FOR RENT—Warm, clean room furnished for light housekeeping; references required. 216 E. 3rd. Hanamo 3941. 2tf

WANTED

WANTED—Two girls at once Maryville Laundry. Hanamo 700. 14-1f

WANTED—The Democrat-Forum wants live correspondents at Barnard Burlington Junction, Skidmore, Guilford, Clearmont and Clyde. Write for information. The Democrat-Forum. 1f

WANTED—Experienced farm hand wants job on farm. Married. 116 N. Water st., Maryville, Mo. 11-13*

WANTED—Job on farm by month or shares. Inquire at this office. 11-13*

WANTED—Delivery man, with car or horse preferred. Maryville Laundry. 11tf.

WANTED—A married man wants a job on farm. Inquire at the Democrat-Forum office. 11-13*

WANTED—To rent, about 6 room house close in, water and lights. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 11-13*

WANTED—Married man with small family that I can board with and will board extra help. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. 12-13*

WANTED—Married man wants job on farm; has boy 15 years old, who will work during vacation. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 11-13*

WANTED—Married man with small family that I can board with and will board extra help. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. 12-13*

John Sparks and wife living near Orsberg were Maryville visitors on Monday.

(1st insertion Feb. 9; last March 2)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
State of Missouri, County of Nodaway, ss. In the Circuit Court, April term, 1918.
August King, executor of the estate of Mary German, Plaintiff, vs. Frank German, John German, Anna McPherson, Louisa German and Mary German, Defendants.
Now at this day comes the Plaintiff herein, by his Attorneys and files his Petition and Affidavit, alleging among other things that Defendants, Frank German, John German, Anna McPherson and Mary German are not residents of the State of Missouri, so that the ordinary process of law can not be served upon them within this State. Whereupon, it is ordered by the Clerk in vacation that said Plaintiff be notified by Publication that Plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this Court, the object and general nature of which is to construe the will of John German, deceased, and advise and direct the Plaintiff as to his duties under the will of Mary German deceased, concerning and affecting the title and interests of the defendants in and to the following described land situate in Nodaway County, Missouri, to wit: The South One-half of the Southeast Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirty-three (33), Township Sixty-three (63) of Range Thirty-three (33), and that unless the said Defendants be and appear at this Court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Maryville, in said County, on the 1st day of April next, and on or before the first day of said Term, unless further time be granted by the Court, answer or demur to the Petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.
And it is Further Ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the Democrat-Forum, a newspaper published in said County of Nodaway for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said Term of said Court.
G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.
(Seal) By AMOS SPRECHER, Deputy
A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of Nodaway County, this 9th day of February, 1918.
G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.
AMOS SPRECHER, D. C.

(1st insertion Feb. 9; last March 2)
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
State of Missouri, County of Nodaway, ss. In the Circuit Court, April term, 1918.
To Whom It May Concern:
Notice is hereby given that on this day Emily Lemon, Nellie Jones and Lillie Amy Garrett, petitioners herein, by their attorneys file their petition, verified by affidavit, alleging among other things that on or about the 1st day of ———, 1912, one James H. Lemon made, executed and delivered to the petitioners a certain warranty deed conveying to petitioners certain lands in Nodaway County, Missouri, described as follows, to wit:
The Northeast Fourth of the Northwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and five acres off of the West part of the Northeast Fourth of the Northeast Quarter, all in Section Six (6) in Township Sixty-five (65) of Range Thirty-six (36), Nodaway County, Missouri, same being a part of the home place where the said James H. Lemon then resided.
Said deed conveyed to the petitioner, Emily Lemon said lands for and to her natural life with remainder to the petitioners, Nellie Jones and Lillie Amy Garrett in equal parts.
That after the execution and delivery of said deed to petitioners the said deed was lost or destroyed. That said deed has not been recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, Missouri; that the said deed was executed by the said James H. Lemon and Emily Lemon, his wife, and praying the Court to hear such testimony as the petitioners may produce touching the execution, delivery and loss of said deed and its interests in the land therein described and to adjudge and determine according to the evidence so adduced by petitioners and that a decree will be entered in said cause at the next term of said court and the title or interest in or in said land adjudged to said petitioners according to the prayer of their petition and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Democrat-Forum, a newspaper published in said County of Nodaway, Missouri, once a week for at least four weeks, the last insertion to be at least four weeks prior to the April 1918 Term of said Court.
(Seal) G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.
A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of Nodaway County, this 9th day of February, 1918.
G. H. WESTFALL, Circuit Clerk.

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Musterole Works Easier, Quicker and Without the Blister

There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole. Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients, combined in the form of the present white ointment. It takes the place of out-of-date mustard plasters, and will not blister. Musterole usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Feb. 12.—CATTLE — Receipts 9,000; steers, \$12.00@13.50; cows, \$6.00@12.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; top, \$15.90; bulk, \$15.60@15.75.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, Feb. 12.—CATTLE — Receipts 22,000; market 10@25 lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 64,000; market 10 @25 lower; top, \$15.90.

St. Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, Feb. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,600; market lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,500; market, 25 lower; top, \$16.00.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Spring, per lb. 18c
Hens, per lb. 22c
Ducks, per lb. 14c
Geese, per lb. 14c
Old Roosters, per lb. 10c
Hides, per lb. 10c
Eggs, per doz. 40c
Cream, per lb. 50c

PRaises HANSON'S WORK

St. Joseph News-Press Compliments Normal Athletic Director

Yesterday's St. Joseph News-Press has the following to say of Walter Hanson, athletic director at the Normal, when he refereed the recent basketball game there between Benton and Central high school teams.

"Walter Hanson, director of athletics at Maryville Normal, is the best official who has been seen on a local floor in many a month. There is no question but what Hanson's firmness and quick, decisive action makes the game more interesting and he is recognized as being fair and impartial at all times."

A HIGH SCHOOL GLEE CLUB.

L. E. Ziegler, Chemistry Teacher, will Direct Activities.

A Glee Club was planned by the boys of the Maryville High School at a meeting Sunday evening. The club will be under the direction of L. E. Ziegler, teacher of chemistry, who was a member of the Glee Club of the Missouri University last year. Music will be ordered, and the club will be started immediately. About thirty boys attended the meeting Sunday afternoon.

Arch Carter On Furlough.

Arch Carter, who is stationed at Camp Funston, arrived in Maryville Sunday night to spend several days with his wife, who is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Everhart. Mr. and Mrs. Carter will also visit in Hannibal Mo., with his parents before he returns to camp.

Administrator Is Named.

James S. Casteel of Ravenwood was appointed administrator in probate court this morning of the estate of the late Preston Seafers, whose death occurred on February 6.

Women differ from men in many ways. For instance: A man will buy hair restorative by the bottle—a woman will buy the hair.

Clark Property Sold.
The A. T. Clark property on East First street, formerly occupied by Dick Strong, was sold yesterday to Jennings Reed of near Quitman was a guest over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tarpley.

The deal was made through Nash & Woodard.

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RAW FURS

The market is high on all kinds of FURS. Write for Special No. 1. CHAS. A. JENSEN, buyer of Furs, Hides, Produce, Maryville, Mo.

PUBLIC SALE

Since I have bought a smaller farm, I will sell at public sale on the Sam Armstrong place 2 1/2 miles northwest of Bolckow and 4 1/2 miles southwest of Barnard on the Andrew County line, on

Friday, February 15

commencing at 10 o'clock, the following property:

4 Head of Horses—1 gray smooth mare, wt. 1100; 1 gray smooth mouth horse, wt. 1100; 1 5-year-old horse, wt. 1200; 1 yearling filly.

135 Head of Hogs—15 tried brood sows; 16 pure bred Poland-China brood gilts, bred for March and April farrow; 4 Thirind gilts, bred for March farrow; 1 yearling Poland-China boar; 84 head stock hogs, wt. 75 to 175, and 15 head of fat hogs if not sold before sale day.

70 Head of Cattle—35 head of grade Shorthorn cows—8 2-year-olds; 16 3-year-olds; 11 4 to 8-year-olds; 3 head extra good Pole Angus yearling heifers; 2 head extra good Pole Angus yearling steers; 23 head extra good spring calves—some Shorthorn, some Black Angus, some Whiteface; 2 good fall calves; 1 calf six weeks old; 1 3-year-old Shorthorn bull, wt. 1400; 1 3-year-old Pole Angus bull, wt. 1200; 1 yearling roan Shorthorn bull and a yearling Pole Angus bull.

Grain, Hay, Etc.—800 bushels good solid corn, 20 bu. oats, about 5 tons timothy hay and clover hay, baled; 20-acre stalk field, straw stack, extra good saddle, Kellogg abridged telephone.

Lunch served by ladies of Salem church.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On sums over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
Will Hartley, Clerk.

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Pfander & McClelland's Annual

Duroc Jersey Bred Sow Sale Saturday, Feb. 16

at Quigg's Feed Yard, Clarinda, Iowa, commencing promptly at 1 o'clock

50—HEAD—ALL IMMUNE—50

Consisting of Tried Sows, Fall Yearlings and Spring Gilts.

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Public Sale

Will sell at my farm, 4 1/2 miles northwest of Ravenwood and 2 miles northeast of Harmony church, on

Thursday, Feb. 14

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to wit:

4 Head of Fine Mules—One mare mule coming three years old! two coming 2 years old, horse and mare; coming yearling mare mule.

5 Milch Cows, 2 Heifers—One cow has calf at side, one will be fresh soon and others will be fresh later; 2 coming yearling heifers.

14 Hogs, Good Ones—4 brood sows; one grade Poland-China coming yearling male; nine fall shots that weigh 60 or 75 lbs.

Implements, Feed, Household Goods, Etc.—New 7-foot McCormick grain binder, one hay rake, lister, walking cultivator, 16 inch breaking plow; about 800 bushels of corn, to be measured in crib or sold in quantities to suit purchaser, 5 or 6 tons of timothy hay in stack, some seed oats, some potatoes, apples, several loads of stove wood, 175 burr oak posts, one leather couch and some good chairs. Gasoline engine and washing outfit.

New Carmen Piano Offered with reserved bid.

Lunch served by Harmony Ladies Aid.

Terms of Sale—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed till terms of sale have been complied with.

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W. F. Sawyer, Auctioneers.
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Closing Out Sale

Having rented all my land and having no pasture I will sell at my farm, 1/2 mile south of Quitman, on

Friday, February 15

beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property:

25 Head of Cattle—Black sow 4 years old, with calf at side; black cow 3 years old, fresh soon; Jersey cow 3 years old, fresh in May; cow 4 years old, with calf, fresh latter part of April; brindle cow 4 years old, fresh in summer; Jersey cow, 4 years old, fresh soon; Jersey cow, fresh soon; red cow, 6 years old, fresh soon; red cow 7 years old, with calf at side; Jersey cow, fresh, with calf at side; black cow giving milk now; fresh soon; 6 weanling steer calves; 8 weanling heifer calves.

11 Head of Horses—10-year-old horse, sound, work anywhere, wt. 1650; gray filly, 4 years old, sound, unbroke, wt. 900; sorrel horse, smooth mouth, broke for women and children, not afraid of cars, trains, etc.; team mares 3 and 4 years old, wt. 2190; 2 weanling yearling colts; team mares 4 and 5 years old, broke good, wt. 2390; team mares 8 and 9 years old, sound, wt. 1500, a No. 1 driving team.

Hay and Grain—8 or 9 tons 1st class timothy hay, baled; 1200 bushels corn, if not sold before day of the sale.

Implements—Hay rake, 2 buggies, gang plow, 1 new one-horse International gas engine; 2 sets work harness; Set 1 1/2 harness, 1 wagon. Other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—\$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months credit, bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date. No property removed until terms are complied with.

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C. I. Hann, Clerk.

W. W. Jones, Lunch.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell a what is known as the J. D. Overmire place, 2 1/2 miles west and 1/2 mile north of Pickering, 7 miles north and 1 mile west of Maryville, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1918

at 10:30 a. m., the following property:

6 Head of Horses—Pair geldings, 1 and 13 years old, weight 3100; bay mare, 4 years old, weight 1550; black mare, 12 years old, weight 1300; pair standard bred driving mares, weight 1820.

Cattle—Four good milch cows, all fresh; 4 young calves.

Hogs—14 pure bred Duroc-Jersey gilts bred to a registered Durocboar. Due to farrow in April. They are in good flesh, with good bone and depth. A good straight, stretchy bunch of big gilts.

Implements—3 high wheel wagons with tight box; low wheel wagon; hay rack; Sattley gang plow, 12 inch, Sattley 4 shovel walking cultivator; Emerson 16 inch walking plow; two 50-gallon gas tanks; water tank; fanning mill, with gross sieves; Busy Bee riding cultivator; 16-16 Kingman disc; Case corn planter, with